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	AC	6,713,846	03/2004	Senzaki			
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Total Claims	-20** =	X	=	Fee Paid
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1202 18	2202 9	Claims in excess of 20
1201 86	2201 43	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203 290	2203 145	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204 86	2204 43	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205 18	2205 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent
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1812 2,520	1812 2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804 920*	1804 920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
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1251 110	2251 55	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	
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1253 950	2253 475	2253	475	Extension for reply within third month	
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1401 330	2401 165	2401	165	Notice of Appeal	
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1403 290	2403 145	2403	145	Request for oral hearing	
1451 1,510	1451 1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452 110	2452 55	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453 1,330	2453 665	2453	665	Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501 1,330	2501 665	2501	665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
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1503 640	2503 320	2503	320	Plant issue fee	
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